Fw: Electric Vehicles

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Subject: Electric Vehicles

Dear Secretary Garvin,

I write to you, because I am opposed to the mandate regarding electric vehicles.

I live on a fixed income and cannot afford an expensive car.

I love our environment too, but am not convinced that electric cars are better for the environment, after you consider the impact of mining and the serious environmental waste that results from the batteries that cannot be recycled.

I live in Sussex County and worry if we have to evacuate, that I will run out of power before I can get to safety.

I worry for the safety of our emergency responders, who maybe injured when responding to an accident involving an electric vehicle.

I urge you to reconsider the electric vehicle mandate. It will cost me the freedom to travel with my family and the freedom to travel when and where I choose.

Thank You

Donald H. Shaner